

St. Alexander ethnic festival is this weekend

Ethnic days and nights, a combination of fun, food, entertainment, rides and games will be Sept. 11, 12 and 13 on the church grounds on Shilawasse, just east of Middlebelt Road and west of Inkster.

An old-fashioned ethnic weekend of foods, featuring an Italian night on Friday with authentic Italian foods. Saturday is Polish day with all sorts of Polish dishes being featured. Sunday will be "honey" of a day, with Irish food and a honey baked ham dinner being featured.

Dinners, snacks and refreshments will be served during all the hours of the Festival '81 weekend. Friday, a kick off parade of bikes and pets, clowns and a variety of marching units will be starting at Malden Ave. and Shilawasse Road at 4 p.m. Anyone interested in marching in the parade is welcome.

Prizes and awards will be given for outstanding decorations and unusual and interesting pets. The parade will help start the weekend festivities. Hours on Friday, Sept. 11 are 5 p.m. to 10 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 12, noon to 10 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 13, 12:30 p.m. to closing. Free parking and free admission to the grounds, and games tent area, bingo area and millionaires party.

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Recreation News

Each week, the Farmington Hills Parks & Recreation Department will present a synopsis of its activities in this space. For further information, call 474-6115.

• **ADAPTIVE RECREATION JOGGING CLUB** - Join our new jogging club and help improve your cardiovascular efficiency by running with friends and fellow joggers. Special jog speakers are scheduled to join us explaining the basic fundamentals of running and the importance of proper attire, health and fitness. Our club is open to all interested handicapped individuals. We will meet the first and third Saturdays of each month beginning Sept. 19. Please arrive at the Harrison High School Track by 9:30 a.m.

• **FARMINGTON HILLS YOUTH ORCHESTRA & BAND** - We are again sponsoring a youth concert band and string orchestra. All music students in the 6-8 grades who have had at least six months of prior instrumental instruction are encouraged to join us for this opportunity to play in an ensemble. The orchestra and band will meet at the Shilawasse Recreation Center on Wednesdays, Sept. 16 through Dec. 9, from 4-5 p.m. Fee is \$16.

• **RECREATION OPEN SWIM** - North Farmington High School will be conducting open swimming sessions Monday evenings, Sept. 21 through Dec. 14, from 7-9:15 p.m. Cost is 50 cents for children and teens and 75 cents for adults 18 and over.

• **SAILING LESSONS** - Learn to sail on Elizabeth Lake and earn your Red Cross Sailing Certificate. Students will be taught the practical, theoretical and safety aspect of sailing and must be 12 years old to enroll. Classes are one day a week for three hours and are seven weeks long. Weekend and evening classes begin the week of Sept. 6, the fee is \$60.

• **SPORTS STUFF** - The boys and girls youth soccer leagues begin their season on Saturday morning Sept. 12. Games will be played each consecutive Saturday for the next four weeks. These games will be played at Cloverdale, Bond, Beechview and Dunckle Schools.

The men's touch football league begins their season on Sunday morning, Sept. 13 at East Jr. High.

• **KAYAK SLALOM RACE** - Don't miss the excitement on Sunday, Sept. 13, when the Waterford Oaks Wave-Action Pool is the site of the Kayak Slalom Race. Medals, participation awards and prize drawings will be held from 9:30 a.m. to noon and the race begins at 12:30 p.m. This event is co-sponsored by the Oakland County Parks & Recreation Commission and the Farmington Hills Parks & Recreation Department. For further information contact Dave Justus at 474-6115, ext. 288.

• **MUSICAL MADNESS** - Come and see our area Senior Adults at "The Gathering Place." It is presenting their second musical, "Musical Madness II." You can see this display of hard work and talent on Saturday, Sept. 12 at 2 p.m. at the Mercy Center or on Sunday, Sept. 13 at 2 p.m. at the Mercy Center Conference Center. Admission for senior adults and children 16 and under is \$1 and the general public is \$2.

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Only those shareholders of record at the close of business on September 24, 1981, are entitled to notice of the meeting and to vote at the meeting.

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